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Filed:	January 28, 2005
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Examiner:	Kevin L. Lee
Group Art Unit:	3753

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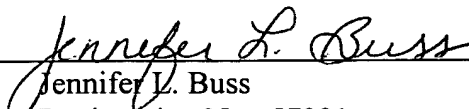
1. In regard to the above-identified application, in addition to this 2 page transmittal letter, we are submitting the attached:
1 page Response to Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment, 22 page copy Amendment and Replacement Drawings, and Postcard.
2. With respect to fees:
 - ☒ No additional fee is required.
 - ☐ Attached is check(s) in the amount of \$
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Respectfully submitted,

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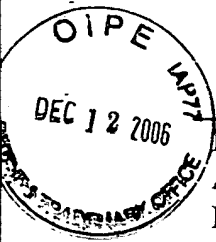
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